

# Review Exam I

## Complex Analysis

Underlined Definitions: May be asked for on exam

Underlined Propositions or Theorems: Proofs may be asked for on exam

### Chapter 4.6

Definition.  $\gamma_0 \sim \gamma_1$  for two closed rectifiable paths  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  lying in a region  $G$  if . . .

Proposition. “ $\sim$ ” is an equivalence relation

Examples of pairs of curves  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  (and the underlying region  $G$ ) which are homotopic and of pairs of curves  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  (and the underlying region  $G$ ) which are not homotopic

Problems about constructing the homotopy function for a pair of curves  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  (and the underlying region  $G$ ) which are homotopic

Definition. A set  $S$  is convex if . . .

Definition. A set  $S$  is starlike (w.r.t.  $a$ ) if . . .

Examples of sets which are convex / starlike and of sets which are not convex / starlike

**Cauchy’s Theorem (#2).** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$ . If  $\gamma \sim 0$ , then  $\int_{\gamma} f = 0$ .

**Cauchy’s Theorem (#3).** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  be closed rectifiable curves in  $G$  such that  $\gamma_0 \sim \gamma_1$ . Then,  $\int_{\gamma_0} f = \int_{\gamma_1} f$ .

Definition.  $\gamma_0 \sim_{FEP} \gamma_1$  for two rectifiable paths  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  lying in a region  $G$  if . . .

Examples of pairs of curves  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  (and the underlying region  $G$ ) which are FEP-homotopic and of pairs of curves  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  (and the underlying region  $G$ ) which are not FEP-homotopic

**Independence of Path Theorem.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $\gamma_0, \gamma_1$  be rectifiable curves in  $G$  such that  $\gamma_0 \sim_{FEP} \gamma_1$ . Then,  $\int_{\gamma_0} f = \int_{\gamma_1} f$ .

Definition. A region  $G$  is simply connected if . . .

Examples of regions which are simply connected and of regions which are not simply connected

**Cauchy's Theorem (#4).** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  which is simply connected and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$ . Then,  $\int_{\gamma} f = 0$ .

**Corollary.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  which is simply connected and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Then,  $f$  has a primitive on  $G$ .

**Definition.** A function  $f$  has a branch-of-log  $f$  on a region  $G$  if ...

**Corollary.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  which is simply connected and let  $f \in A(G)$ . If  $f(z) \neq 0$  on  $G$ , then  $f$  has a branch-of-log  $f$  on  $G$ .

## Chapter 4.7

**Theorem 7.2.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Suppose  $Z_f = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$  such that  $\gamma \approx 0$  and such that  $Z_f \cap \{\gamma\} = \emptyset$ . Then  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z)} dz = \sum_{k=1}^m n(\gamma; a_k)$

**Corollary 7.3.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Suppose  $Z_{f-\alpha} = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$  such that  $\gamma \approx 0$  and such that  $Z_{f-\alpha} \cap \{\gamma\} = \emptyset$ . Then  $\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f'(z)}{f(z) - \alpha} dz = \sum_{k=1}^m n(\gamma; a_k)$

**Proposition.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $\gamma$  be a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$  such that  $\gamma \approx 0$ . Let  $\sigma = f \circ \gamma$ . Let  $\alpha, \beta$  belong to the same component of  $\mathbb{C} \setminus \{\sigma\}$ . Then,

$$\begin{array}{ccc} n(\sigma; \alpha) & = & n(\sigma; \beta) \\ \parallel & & \parallel \\ \sum_{Z_{f-\alpha}} n(\gamma; z_k(\alpha)) & & \sum_{Z_{f-\beta}} n(\gamma; z_k(\beta)) \end{array}$$

**Definition.** A function  $f$  has a simple zero at  $z = a$  if ...

**Theorem 7.4.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$ , let  $B(a, r) \subset G$  and let  $f \in A(G)$ . Let  $f(a) = \alpha$ . If  $f(z) - \alpha$  has a zero of order  $m$  at  $z = a$ , then there exists  $\varepsilon > 0$  and  $\delta > 0$  such that for each  $\zeta \in B(a, \delta)$  the equation  $f(z) = \zeta$  has exactly  $m$  simple roots in  $B(a, \varepsilon)$ .

**Corollary.** Open Mapping Theorem

## Chapter 4.8

**Cauchy-Goursat Theorem.** Let  $G$  be a region. If  $f \in D(G)$ , then  $f \in A(G)$ .

## Chapter 5.1

Definition. A function  $f$  has an isolated singularity at  $z = a$  if . . .

Examples of functions which have isolated singularities

Definition. Removable Singularity, Pole, Essential Singularity

Examples of functions which have removable singularities, poles, essential singularities

Problems about classifying singularities as removable singularities, poles, essential singularities

**Proposition.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f$  have an isolated singularity at  $z = a$ ,  $a \in G$ . The following are equivalent.

- a.  $f$  has a removable singularity at  $z = a$
- b.  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} f(z)$  exists
- c.  $f$  is bounded (in modulus) on a punctured neighborhood of  $a$
- d.  $\lim_{z \rightarrow a} (z - a)f(z) = 0$

Definition. A function  $f$  has a pole of order  $m$  at  $z = a$  if . . .

**Proposition.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f$  have an isolated singularity at  $z = a$ .  $f$  has a pole of order  $m$  at  $z = a$  if and only if there exists a function  $g$  analytic and non-vanishing on a neighborhood of  $z = a$  such that

$$f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{(z - a)^m}.$$

Definition. The singular part of a function  $f$  which has a pole of order  $m$  at  $z = a$  is . . .

Problems about identifying the singular parts of functions with poles

Definition. A double infinite series  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} z_n$  is absolutely convergent if . . .

Definition. A double infinite series  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} u_n(s)$  is uniformly convergent on a region  $S$  if . . .

Examples of double infinite series which are absolutely convergent / uniformly convergent.

Definition.  $ann(a; r_1, r_2) =$

**Theorem (Laurent Series Expansion).** Let  $f \in A(ann(a; R_1, R_2))$ . Let  $G = \mathbb{C} \setminus \overline{B(a, R_1)}$ . Then there exist functions  $f_2 \in A(B(a, R_2))$  and  $f_1 \in A(G)$  such that  $f = f_2 + f_1$  on  $ann(a; R_1, R_2)$ . Furthermore,

$$f_2(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (z-a)^n \text{ on } B(a, R_2) \quad (2)$$

and

$$f_1(z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{-n} (z-a)^{-n} \text{ on } G \quad (1)$$

where

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C(a, \rho)} \frac{f(w)}{(w-a)^{n+1}} dw, \quad R_1 < \rho < R_2 \quad (*)$$

and the coefficient  $a_n$  in (\*) is independent of the choice of  $\rho$ . The series for  $f_2$  in (2) converges absolutely on  $B(a, R_2)$  and uniformly on subsets  $\overline{B(a, r_2)}$  of  $B(a, R_2)$ ,  $0 < r_2 < R_2$ . The series for  $f_1$  in (1) converges absolutely on  $G$  and uniformly on subsets  $\overline{ann(a; r_1, \infty)}$  of  $G$ ,  $R_1 < r_1 < \infty$ .

Furthermore, the series representation  $f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-a)^n$  on  $ann(a; R_1, R_2)$  is unique.

**Corollary.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f$  have an isolated singularity at  $z = a$ . Let

$f(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n (z-a)^n$  be the Laurent Series expansion of  $f$  on a punctured neighborhood of  $a$ . Then,

- a.  $z = a$  is removable singularity of  $f$  in and only if  $a_n = 0$  for all  $n \leq -1$
- b.  $z = a$  is a pole of  $f$  of order  $m$  if and only if  $a_{-m} \neq 0$  and  $a_{-n} = 0$  for all  $n \leq -m - 1$
- c.  $z = a$  is an essential singularity if and only if  $a_n \neq 0$  for infinitely many negative  $n$

Problems constructing Laurent Series expansions.

Problems constructing Laurent Series expansions for rational functions.

**Casorati-Weierstrass Theorem.** Let  $G$  be a region in  $\mathbb{C}$  and let  $f$  have an isolated singularity at  $z = a$ . If  $z = a$  is an essential singularity of  $f$ , then for every  $\delta > 0$ ,  $f(B(a, \delta)') = \mathbb{C}$ .

## Chapter 5.2

Definition. Let  $f$  have an isolated singularity at  $z = a$ . Then the residue of  $f$  at  $z = a$  is . . .

**Residue Theorem** Let  $G$  be a region and let  $f \in A(G)$  except for isolated singularities  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m$ . If  $\gamma$  is a closed rectifiable curve in  $G$  which does not pass through any of the points  $a_k$  and if  $\gamma \approx 0$  in  $G$ , then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\gamma} f = \sum_{k=1}^m n(\gamma; a_k) \text{Res}(f; a_k).$$

Computation of Residues:

Lemma 1. Suppose  $f$  has a pole of order  $m$  at  $z = a$ . Let  $g(z) = (z - a)^m f(z)$ . Then,

$$\text{Res}(f; a) = \lim_{z \rightarrow a} \frac{1}{(m-1)!} g^{(m-1)}(z).$$

Lemma 2. Suppose  $f$  has a simple pole at  $z = a$ . Then,  $\text{Res}(f, a) = \lim_{z \rightarrow a} (z - a)f(z)$

Lemma 3. Suppose  $f = \frac{g}{h}$  where  $g, h$  are analytic on a neighborhood of  $z = a$ . If  $g(a) \neq 0$  and  $h$  has a simple zero at  $z = a$ , then,  $\text{Res}(f, a) = \frac{g(a)}{h'(a)}$ .

Problems about computing residues.

Theorems for Calculation of Integrals using the Residue Theorem

See PDF file: [Integration Topics](#)

Problems about computing integrals using the Residue Theorem